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The Honorable Nicholas G. Garaufis
United States District Court
225 Cadman Plaza E
Brooklyn, New York

Re: **Batalla Vidal, et al. v. Nielsen, et al., Case No. 16-cv-04756**

Dear Judge Garaufis

In accordance with Local Rule 1.4, I am writing to inform the Court that I seek to withdraw my appearance on behalf of New York University - *amicus curiae* due to my departure from Proskauer Rose LLP (counsel for New York University - *amicus curiae*). New York University - *amicus curiae* will continue to be represented by Steven E. Obus for Proskauer Rose LLP whose appearance is on file with the Court.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Shiloh A. Rainwater", written over a light blue horizontal line.

Shiloh A. Rainwater